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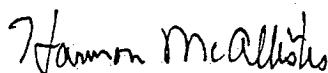
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Dr. Gerald Miwa
Glaxo Inc.
Five Moore Drive
Research Triangle Park, NC 27709

Dear Dr. Miwa:

The Scientific Director and CTR's staff have discussed your letter requesting partial support for the Gordon summer conference on "Drug Metabolism". Unfortunately, competition for research funds has meant we are unable to approve a number of meritorious requests for meeting support this year. Although we are unable to lend assistance for this particular conference, the Scientific Staff and I hope you will not hesitate to contact us about partial funding for future meetings.

Sincerely,



Harmon C. McAllister

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